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AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application as follows...

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

√ If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

- 1. ___ If checked, an abstract (an amended abstract) is submitted herewith.
- 2. ___ If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.
- 3. $\sqrt{}$ If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.
- 4. $\sqrt{}$ If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.